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**CHRISTENSEN'S 1949**  
*Spring Flowers*



NEW MARIGOLD RED HEAD

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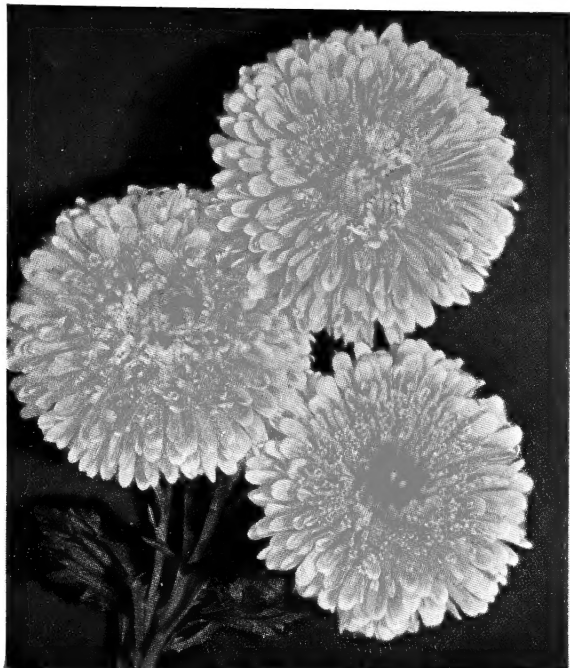
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ASTER PRINCESS LINDA

# CHRISTENSEN'S 1949 Spring Flowers

## ANNUALS FOR BORDERS IN SUN

**AGERATUM.** Deep blue, medium blue. Pkt. 10c.

**ALYSSUM.** Deep violet, pure white. Pkt. 10c.

**LOBELIA.** Light or dark blue. Pkt. 10c.

**MARIGOLDS, Dwarf French. Melody (new):** Dwarf golden yellow. Pkt. 10c.  
**Red Head (new):** Outer petals rich mahogany, inner petals gold, edged maroon. Pkt. 25c.

**Yellow Pigmy:** Lemon-yellow double. Pkt. 10c.

**Scarlet Glow:** Deep red. Pkt. 10c.

**NEMESIA nana compacta mixed.** Pkt. 15c.

**PANSY. Selected Swiss Giants Mixed:** Very large early flowers, good color range. Pkt. 35c.

**PHLOX drummondii gigantea mixed.** Pkt. 15c.

**VERBENA. Spectrum Red:** Intense bright red. **Luminosa:** Flame pink. **Grandiflora mixed:** red, pink, blue and white. Pkt. 15c.

**VIOLA. Blue Perfection:** Medium violet-blue. **Chantreyland:** Rich apricot. **Lutea splendens:** Clear yellow. **White Perfection:** White. Pkt. 25c.

**VIRGINIAN STOCK.** Colorful ground cover. Pkt. 15c; 1 oz. \$1.25.

**ZINNIA. Lilliput:** Dwarf plants, pastel shades. Pkt. 10c.

## MEDIUM-HEIGHT ANNUALS FOR BEDDING AND CUTFLOWERS IN FULL SUN

**ASTERS. Princess Linda (new):** Clear rose, wilt-resistant. Pkt. 25c. **Princess Mixed:** New strain of wilt-resistant asters in shades of orchid, peach, salmon-rose, red and scarlet. Pkt. 35c. **Improved Crego** (wilt-resistant): Large shaggy flowers with long curled petals; blue, crimson, peach, white and mixed. Pkt. 15c. **Improved Giant California Sunshine:** Loose row of outer petals arranged around a quill-like central yellow disc. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c.

**CALENDULA. Pacific Beauty (new):** Soft and deep pastel shades. Pkt. 15c. **Double Campfire:** bright deep orange with scarlet sheen. **Chrysantha:** Loosely arranged petals buttercup yellow. Pkt. 10c.

**DAHLIA. Unwin Dwarf Hybrids Mixed.** Pkt. 15c.

**GODETIA. Double Azalea-flowered Mixed.** Pkt. 10c.

**PETUNIA. Silver Medal (new):** Compact habit, salmon-pink flowers. Pkt. 50c. **Glowing Rose (new):** Brilliant deep rose pink flowers on dwarf compact plants. Pkt. 35c. **Rosy Morn:** soft rose-pink, white throat. Pkt. 15c. **Heavenly Blue:** light blue. Pkt. 15c. **Dwarf Giants of California Ramona:** Beautifully ruffled and fringed with open throat. Pkt. 35c. **Theodosia:** Large single-fringed rose-pink with gold center. Pkt. 25c. **Balcony Mixed:** Single large flowers. Pkt. 10c.

**SALVIA splendens dwarf.** Reddest of red flowers. Pkt. 10c.

**SCHIZANTHUS Grandiflora Hybrids:** Brightly hued flowers in many colors. Pkt. 10c.

**STOCK. Early Giant Imperial of California.** Have a high percentage of double flowers in these colors—coppery-red, royal purple, flesh pink, pink, yellow, red, chamois, white, lavender and rose, or mixture of all colors. Pkt. 15c.

**BEDDING PLANTS** of varieties listed on this page are grown from the finest seeds obtainable . . . Your assurance of **QUICK, SATISFYING RESULTS.**

**50c per dozen, \$2.25 per flat**

### PLANT DIRECTLY FROM SEED

We recommend the following annuals be planted directly into the beds from seed. All other varieties should be planted from nursery flats unless the gardener has facilities for growing on to transplantable size.

ALYSSUM  
BACHELOR BUTTON  
\*CALENDULA  
CANDYTUFT  
\*CLARKIA  
\*GODETIA  
\*LARKSPUR  
LINARIA

LINUM  
MIGNONETTE  
MORNING GLORY  
NASTURTIUM  
POPPY  
SCARLET RUNNER  
SWEET PEA  
VIRGINIAN STOCK

Plants prefixed (\*) are optional from seed or from flats.



DWARF PETUNIAS RAMONA







SNAPDRAGON SUPER-GIANT

ANNUALS FOR SHADE

**CINERARIA.** *California Super-Giants Mixed:* For large flowers. *Stellata* for smaller flowers. Pkt. 35c. **FORGET-ME-NOT.** Light or dark blue. Pkt. 10c. **LOBELIA** (page 1); **SALPIGLOSSIS** (this page).



ZINNIA DAHLIA-FLOWERED

CHRISTENSEN'S

TALL ANNUALS FOR SUN

**BACHELOR BUTTON.** Double flowers on tall stems in pink, white, blue or mixed. Pkt. 10c. **COSMOS.** *Radiance (new):* Delightful combination of deep rose and rich crimson. Pkt. 25c. **CHRYSANTHEMUM, Annual.** *Merry Mixture (new):* Bright, varied colors. Pkt. 10c. **LARKSPUR.** Double lilac, salmon-rose or pure white. Pkt. 10c. **MARIGOLD.** *Carnation-flowered* type includes *Guinea Gold*, rich orange, and *Yellow Supreme*, lemon-yellow. Pkt. 15c. *Dahlia-flowered* type includes *Orange Sunset*, large deep orange and *Sunset Giants*, largest of all Marigolds in yellow and orange. Pkt. 15c. **SALPIGLOSSIS.** *Dwarf Mixed.* Brilliant blue, purple, scarlet and yellow tones. Pkt. 15c.

**SCABIOSA.** *Tall Double Shasta:* White. Pkt. 15c. *Imperial Giant Blue Moon:* Deep lavender-blue. Pkt. 15c. *Mixed:* All colors. Pkt. 15c.

**SNAPDRAGON.** *Cherry Rose (new):* Bright shade of deep cherry-rose. Pkt. 25c. *Tetra (new):* Exceptionally vigorous, full range of mixed colors. Pkt. 25c. **Super-Giant:** Tall spikes in white, scarlet, crimson, yellow or copper. Pkt. 15c. **Super-Majestic:** Medium-tall spikes in amber and gold, yellow, and terra cotta, fiery red, rose, silvery-pink, rose pink and yellow, or mixed colors. Pkt. 15c, 6 for 75c.

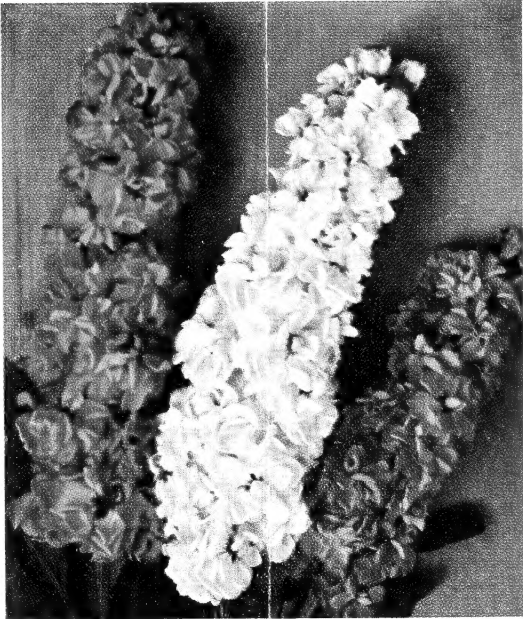
**ZINNIA.** *Golden Century (new):* Giant double flowers are glowing light orange. Pkt. 10c. *Super Crown of Gold:* Large flowers, wide range of pastel tints. Mixed. Pkt. 15c. **Dahlia-flowered:** Huge flowers resemble exhibition dahlias, available in separate colors of primrose-yellow, golden-yellow, orange and gold, bright rose-pink, scarlet, crimson and pure white. Pkt. 10c.

ANNUALS FOR VINE EFFECTS

**MORNING GLORY (Ipomea).** *Blue Star (new):* Light blue with deep blue stripes. Pkt. 25c. **Cornell:** Cornelian blue with white border. **Heavenly Blue Improved:** Deep sky blue. **Scarlet O'Hara:** Scarlet. Pkt. 15c.

**NASTURTIUMS.** *Golden Gleam:* Double yellow. **Gleam Hybrids:** Mixture of pink, red, orange and yellow shades. Pkt. 10c.

**SWEET PEAS.** *Summer Spencer:* Choice of blue, lavender, pink, orange, purple, crimson, cream and white. Pkt. 10c. **Cuthbertson:** Scarlet, salmon, rose, lavender, blue. Pkt. 10c.



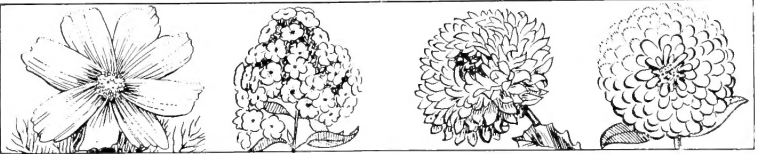
STOCKS GIANT IMPERIAL (Page 1)

Bedding Plants of Annual Flowers Listed at the left: 50c per dozen, \$2.25 per flat	Perennials Listed at Right Without Prices Are Available in Flats: 75c per dozen, \$2.50 per flat
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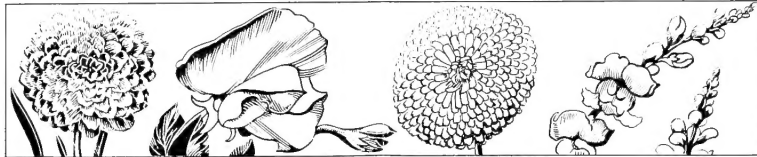
PLANT—MARCH through MAY

Ageratum Asters Carnations Cinerarias Dahlias Godetias	Lobelias Marigolds Nemesias Pansies Petunias Phlox	Salpiglossis Schizanthus Snapdragons Stocks Verbenas Violas
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PLANT—MAY through JULY

Ageratum Asters Carnations Cosmos Dahlias	Lobelias Marigolds Nemesias Petunias Salpiglossis	Snapdragons Stocks Verbenas Zinnias
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PLANT—AUGUST through FEBRUARY

Ageratum Calendula Coreopsis Forget-Me-Not	Geum Nemesias Pansies Primrose	Snapdragons Stocks Sweet Williams Violas
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CHRISTENSEN'S

PERENNIALS

**AGATHEA coelestis.** Blue flowers with yellow centers. **ALYSSUM saxatile.** Low-growing, golden-yellow flowers in spring. **ANEMONE japonica.** White or pink flowers in late summer, fall. Shade. 75c each. **ASTER frikartii.** Lavender-blue flowers summer and fall. 75c each. **ASTER Michaelmas Daisy.** **Harrington's Pink:** Rose-pink flowers on sturdy plants. **Ronald:** Rosy-lavender flowers on one-foot plants. **Violetta:** Violet-blue flowers on two-foot plants. 60c and 75c each. **CAMPANULA isophylla alba:** White flowers on trailing plants. **C. pyramidalis blue.** Tall spikes of blue flowers. 75c each. **CAMPANULA muralis** for borders; blue flowers. \$3.50 per flat. **CARNATION English Giants.** Full range of colors, many new shades.

**COLUMBINE.** *Long-spurred hybrids mixed.* Pkt. 25c.

**CONVOLVULUS mauretanicus.** Excellent cover with blue flowers. 60c and 75c each.

**CORAL BELLS.** Sprays of red flowers. Flats.

**DAISIES, English.** White, pink or red flowers or mixed.

**DELPHINIUM.** *Pacific Giants.* **Blue Jay:** Medium blue. **Galahad:** Glistening white. **Guinevere:** Lavender-blue. **King Arthur:** Deep blue. Clumps 35c each, 12 for \$3.50.

**DIANTHUS.** *Beatrix:* Double pink. 50c and 75c.

**DIMORPHOTHECA ecklonis.** White flowers with purplish reverse. 60c and 75c each.

**FOXGLOVE.** Fine color range.

**GAILLARDIA Portola hybrids.** Scarlet. Pkt. 10c.

**GAZANIA.** Yellow or orange flowers.

**GERBERA, Transvaal Daisy.** Strong clumps in containers. 60c and 75c each.

**HELIANTHEMUM.** Good ground cover. Apricot, orange, red, and gold flowers. 50c each.

**HELIOTROPE Black Beauty.** Sweetly perfumed deep violet flowers. 60c and 75c each.

**HOLLYHOCK.** Mixed colors, double flowers.

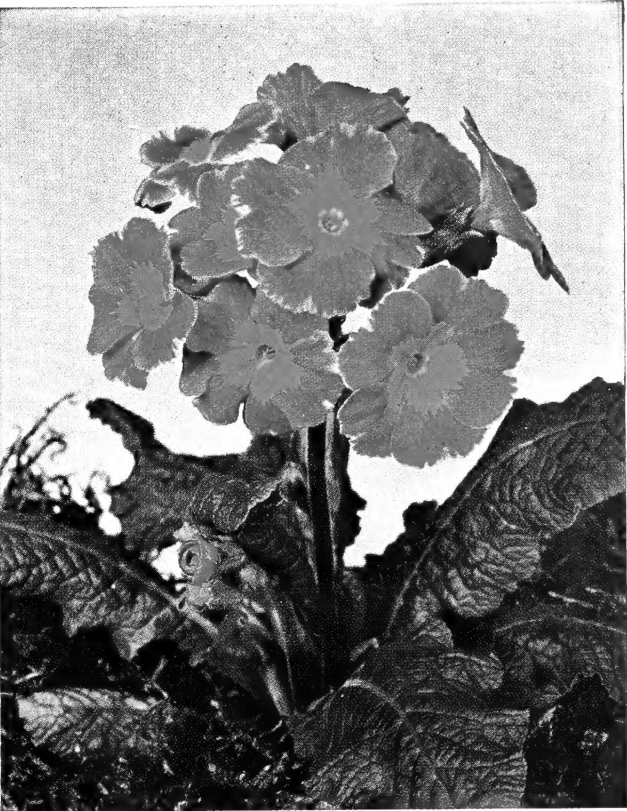
**MARGUERITES.** White or yellow. 60c and 75c.

**MESEMBRYANTHEMUM.** Yellow, pink, orange or yellow flowers on low covering plants.

**PENSTEMON.** *Blue Bedder and Mixed.*

**PHLOX (Perennial).** Strong clumps in good color range. 60c and 75c each.

**PRIMULA polyantha. Colossal Strain.** Large flowers attractive and unusual. Clumps 35c each, 12 for \$3.50.



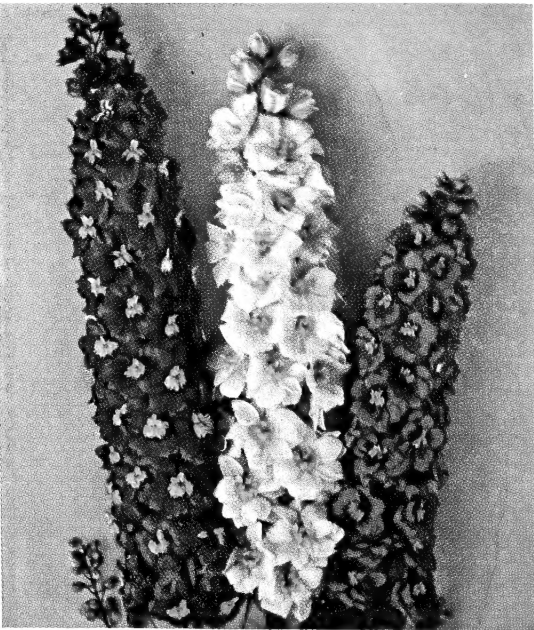
PRIMULA POLYANTHA COLOSSAL STRAIN

**SCABIOSA caucasica.** Powdery blue. 60c and 75c each.

**SHASTA DAISY.** *Esther Reed:* Double white, no yellow at center. *Marconi:* Shaggy white. *Mt. Shasta:* Tall white, very large flowers. 60c each.

**SWEET WILLIAM.** Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c.

**VIOLET odorata.** The old-fashioned fragrant violet.



DELPHINIUM PACIFIC GIANTS



CHAS. L. MASTIC

**GET QUICKER RESULTS AND ENJOY A MORE COLORFUL GARDEN.** Our Bedding Plants are grown from the finest seeds obtainable. See preceding pages for varieties and prices.

# DAHLIAS

**First-Quality tubers: 50c each, 12 for \$5.00.**

## LARGE DECORATIVE

**AUTUMN SUNSET.** Yellow blending to red tones.

**BLUE RIVER.** A fine pale blue.

**CHAS. L. MASTIC.** Large, compact, soft bronze on very fine stem.

**ELEANOR FRANCIS.** The best rich red decorative.

**MRS. WM. KNUDSEN.** You will like this satiny white.

**SAN FRANCISCO.** A beautiful shrimp-pink.

## MINIATURE DAHLIAS

**ANIMATO.** (Cactus.) One of the most popular late introductions. A rich pink and low grower. Fine cutflower.

**CORALLETTE.** A perfect shade of coral.

**DOREEN CRANE.** (Cactus.) Light buff to deep bronze. Flower resembles a spider mum.

**PINK GEM.** A delicate shell pink.

**ROSEBUD.** Popular and useful creamy white.

**ROYAL GLORY.** (Ball.) Four-inch blooms of intense blood-red. Very showy and bright.

## POMPON DAHLIAS

**ALICE.** A very choice vivid red.

**BETTY ANNE.** An excellent shade of delicate pink.

**JOE FETTE.** The very finest white pompon.

**LIBBY ROHR.** A very prolific rich purple. Excellent stems.

**YELLOW GEM.** Striking pure yellow.

**WEE PINK.** Small pink to white.